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LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Customer Service Center International Patent Examination Division Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Pasadena, CA 91109-7068 January 15, 2003

Commissioner:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated October 18, 2002, enclosed are:

- 1. Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.
- 2. A Petition for Extension of Time.
- 3. Extension of Time fee of \$55.00.
- 4. Abstract of the Disclosure.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **pendency** of this application to Deposit Account No. 03-1728.



Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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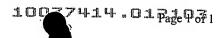
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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125, is required. The specification, claims, or abstract page(s) submitted is not acceptable and cannot be scanned or properly stored because:
 - The line spacing on the specification, claims, or abstract is not 1-1/2 or double spaced (see 37 CFR 1.52(b)).

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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